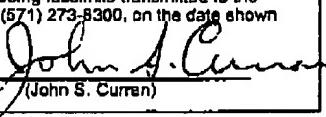


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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action mailed April 8, 2005 and the Advisory Action mailed June 13, 2005, and in consideration of the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed herewith, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1-3, 6, 9, 17, 19, 22 and 27 have been amended. No new claims have been added and no claims have been canceled. No new matter has been added.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.